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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

RE: Application Serial No.: 10/768,088

Applicants: Ken IIZUKA Filing Date: February 2, 2004

For: IMAGE MATCHING SYSTEM AND IMAGE MATCHING METHOD AND PROGRAM

Group Art Unit: 2624

Examiner: TSUNG-YIN TSAI

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Letter regarding Submission of Corrected Appeal Brief Appeal Brief w/ Appendices

Our online credit card payment in the amount of \$0.00 is being made covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time.

Respectfully submitted,

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LETTER REGARDING SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED APPEAL BRIEF

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SIR:

The attached Appeal Brief with Appendices is submitted herewith to update the records of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. In accordance with a Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief (37 C.F.R. §41.37) dated June 9, 2008, the Appellants previously submitted an Appeal Brief which did not contain Appendices VIII-X, which are included herewith.

However, the Notice also indicates that the original Appeal Brief did not contain a statement of the status of all claims, or does not identify the appealed claims. It is respectfully noted that this information is at the top of page 2 in Section III. Further, the Notice indicates that the original Appeal Brief does not present an argument under a separate heading for each ground of rejection on appeal. It is respectfully noted that page 4 includes the heading:

A. Claims 1-6, 9-14, 17-22, and 25 are not anticipated by Wendt

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Further, page 8 includes the heading:

B. Claims 7, 8, 15, 16, 23, and 24 are not unpatentable over Wendt in view of

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to address the other ground of rejection. Accordingly, these requirements under 37 C.F.R. §41.37 are believed to be met by both the original and the presently filed Appeal Brief.

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